



THE STORY SO FAR...

Centuries ago the Archangel Temocazola fell to Earth with his 12 followers in order to seek revenge against God for his betrayal. The fallen lord took a human host, the crusader Nascar de Gullon, and prepared to teach his doctrine to a world in chaos. But his plan was interrupted by Bethsal Gavara, a priest of the Inquisition who trapped Temocazola inside the Dornes Parade for half a millennium. In order to do this, Bethsal had to sacrifice his own soul to the pagan god Belial and become an immortal. Temocazola would have been trapped for eternity with Bethsal, were it not for the meddling of mortals. Ivan Isaacs led a research team sent to unlock the Dornes Parade. He succeeded, but doing so cost Ivan his life—as well as the life of his beloved, Gina.

Now Ivan Isaacs walks a bloody trail of revenge. Having forsaken God and made a pact with Belial for a second chance at life, the former priest now seeks to destroy Temocazola and his disciples. Ivan has already defeated one of the minions and his path has led him to the home of the second. Armed with silver bullets, Ivan is driven purely by rage, with no chance of redemption at the end of his trail.

THE CAST OF CHARACTERS

During the war against Lucifer, the exiled Temozarela led the angels of light. In the years that followed, Temozarela's twisted as God's attention shifted from his seraphim to his new creation—man. Jealousy caused Temozarela and his disciples to abandon their heavenly post and attempt to corrupt humanity to prove the superiority of the seraphim to God. During the Crusades he attempted to begin his plan, but Gabriel sealed him in the Domain Passage for 500 years. Now, released by Ivan Isaac, Temozarela is free again, but too weak to carry out his dark designs. His disciples have begun to secretly dig the ground in the American West, spreading plague and death in preparation for the Unholy Sabbath.

TEMOZARELA

FATHER NUN DAAC

Ivan Isaac was a young priest with a passion for sacred rituals when he was recruited to study the Domain Passage. Little did he know that that mission would be his last—at least his last in life. After helping secure an armed battle for Heaven and Earth, Ivan and his beloved Gena were slain. In order to get revenge and atone for imperiling the world, Ivan made a pact with the devil Belial: his soul in exchange for a second chance at life...and supernatural strength. Now Ivan wields the old word, hunting down Temozarela's disciples and keeping a journal of his tragic tale.

Gena Isaac was an only child, so her father Jacob adopted Ivan to keep her company. In time, the two developed a mutual love that went beyond sibling affection, much to their father's dismay. Jacob sent Ivan to seminary, but the young would-be levite's feelings remained. Before Ivan could act on his feelings, Gena was captured and killed by agents of Temozarela.

GENA
ISAAK



Novic

Father Lucien



Carr

Coburn's Past

With the West filled with outlaws, corrupt lawmen and superstitious townsfolk, these companions are the only ones Coburn trusts. Father Lucien is a Vatican envoy sent to investigate what happened at Stonehole Abbey. Novic is a Civil War veteran and marksman who aids Coburn with his heavy gauging gun. Carr is an old friend of Coburn's who throws his knives with deadly accuracy.

Livia inherited leadership of the Angel Gang from her father. She's loved by her men, and feared by everyone else. She has more of a conscience than some of her fellow outlaws, but her hands are not clean of blood. Her rational world was shattered when her path crossed that of twin faeries. Now faeries seem to be her only friend. A lynching, a kidnapping, even a zombie case — she just can't seem to get a break these days. During the St. Basilus massacre, she was bitten by one of Temocoma's zombies and her blood now bears his curse.



The devil Belial rescued him from his agent in the mortal world so that he may battle the agents of the fallen. Arch-Angel Temocoma, who is planning an upheaval of Heaven and Hell. Belial used to be Belthiel, a Catholic priest in the Middle Ages when he was sent a prosecutor in trials of heresy. After Temocoma shattered his faith, Belthiel turned himself into the demon Belial in order to get his revenge.

BELIAL

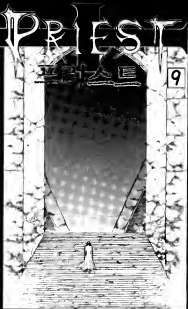
Coburn is the only federal marshal investigating possible links between an outbreak of plagues and other mysterious events happening around the Old West. After Livia is found to be the only survivor of the St. Basilus massacre, Coburn takes her into custody. Together they follow twin faeries, the only ones who know the truth about what's going on.



Livia







HALLELUJAH OF THE BEAST





THE EMPEROR
OF THE
MOUNTAIN



WHAT
THE
HELL?

HE'S NOT
STOPPING!







MO.

MONTANA













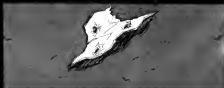




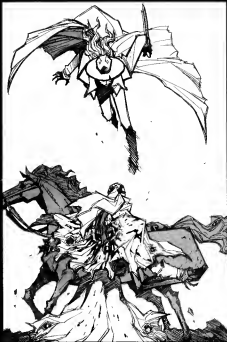
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HE DOESN'T
EVEN
REMEMBER
THE SOURCE
OF HIS
PAIN.



NO
CRIME





...HOW BORING!







MY
GOD...



WHAT...

WALK
IN GOD'S
NAME...

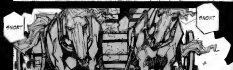
HAPPENED
HERE!



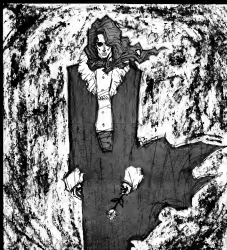












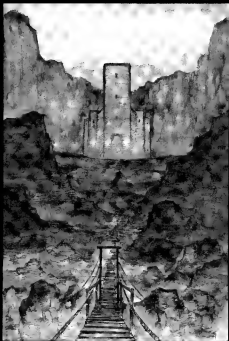


CHRISTINE

I MADE
THIS BOSS
BLOOM
JUST FOR
YOU

WOULD
YOU LIKE
ME TO
SHARE
WITH
YOU...

THE
SECRET
OF HOW
MAYBE TO
HITHER?





THIS IS...



...THE
POORWAY TO
HEAVEN



I'LL LET
YOU
DREAM





I'LL SHOW
YOU
CHRISTMAS...



...THE
BLESSSED
LIFE WE
HAD IN
HEAVEN.





SHOULD IT BE?
YOUR WISH, YOU
CAN STAY HERE...

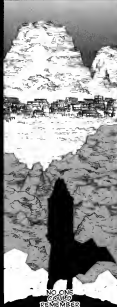
...FOREVER.











NO ONE
COULD
REMEMBER
HOW LONG
HE'D BEEN
STANDING
THERE.

WE
BEGAN TO
THINK IT WAS
IMPOSSIBLE.
THEY WERE
STOOD THERE
WATCHING US
FROM HIS
CASTLE.

LIKE A
COFFEE
CUP IT'S
FREE.



THEN...
ONE DAY...IT



...HE
HEARD
HIS
VOICE?



ALL THE
VILLAGERS
HEARD?



HE
WHISPERED
IN OUR
EARS...

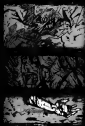
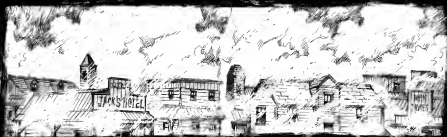


...THAT
TIME HAS
COMEN?





















I HAVE
BEEN
WAITING

FOR YOU,
TEQ

ACHMODE!



· ACHMODE · III · GEMFET ·





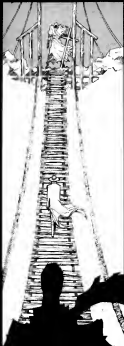






I DIDN'T CRY.
NOT EVEN
WHEN GOD
TURNED HIS
BACK ON US.







WHEN HE
WETS CAST
DOWN
AMONG
HUMANS...



...EVEN
THEN, I
DIDN'T
SHED A
TEAR.

BUT WHEN HE
TOOK AWAY
OUR HINDS...



...I COULDN'T
HELP BUT
WEEP.





FOR IF
RELAY...



...ETERNAL EXILE
IN THIS LAND!!

























WHEN THE WAR
OF JUDGMENT
AGAINST LUCIFER
BROKE OUT...



COVERED THE HEAVENS
WITH CLOUDS OF BLOOD...









THE
MANGA
OF
THE
SACRED
SUN





DRIP



WE
PERFORMED
OUR DUTIES
AS THE
MAGNIFICENT
BOND OF
LIGHT UNDER
LOOSE TEND
FABULA



WHAT
SAY
YOU
BELIAM?





DON'T
TELL ME
YOU'VE
FORGOT-
TEN...



...THAT
GLOBOUS
SELF

YOUR TIME ON
EARTH HAS CONFUSED
YOU. ACHMOE.



MY ORIGINS
ARE DIFFERENT
FROM YOURS!



NO...



...THERE'S
NO DIFFER-
ENT.

IT'S ONLY
THAT THE
RESENTFUL
SOUL OF
THE BODY
YOU'VE
ENTERED



...BLINDS
YOU
FROM
THE
TRUTH.

YOU
TOO WILL
IN TIME
OPEN YOUR
EYES TO
THE HOLY
MISSION



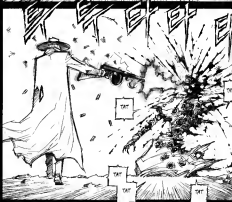
I BELIEVE
THIS IS THE
REASON WHY
LORD
DEMOCABELA
HAS IGNORED
YOUR
INSOLENCE
THUS FAR.

YOU,
WHO ONCE
STOOD
BEFORE US...

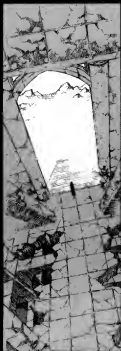
...AS THE
**FIRST
ANGEL.**













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PLAYING
GOD
ARE WE?

END OF









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MY
MY

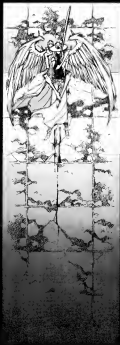
WOULD
YOU
LISTEN
TO THAT?

DID I

...READ A
NOVEL
JUST
NOW?

SURELY
THE FUN
ISN'T OVER
YET?







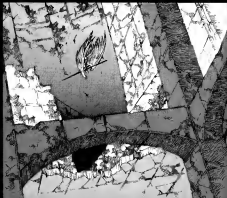




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DEAD



MAGE



THUNDER



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WHAT IS
IT THAT
KEEPS
YOU FROM
FINDING
GENUINE
REST?

IS IT
MY BODY,
OR YOUR
RAGE?



10 IS
NOT
JUST HIS
FLESH...



...FEAR
BINDS ME
TO HIM.





ALVIN

ALVIN







LOOK AT
THIS
MONASTERY.

NOW TIME
HAS
PASSED!



I HAVE NO
MEMORIES
OF THOSE
DAYS.

I WAITED
AND
WAITED
FOR LORD
REBORNS.

ALL
I KNOW
IS THAT I
WAITED.



AND
NOW I WAIT
FOR YOU
UPON HIS
COMMAND.



THEY SAY
HUMAN TIME
MAKES ONE
FORGET
EVERYTHING.

LONGING
ANDER
EVERY-
THING.



BUT
EVEN
MORTAL
TIME...

COULD
NOT SEVER
ME COM-
PLETELY
FROM THE
PAST.



THE
OBSESSION
OF TIME
CANNOT
ERASE...

MY
MEMORY
OF THE
GLOBY
PAYS.

THANKS FOR
THE SHOW

THE GOOD
OF BLOOD
YOU'VE
SPREAD HERE



THE MOST
PURE YOU
BLE



I HAD
MERELY
DONE MY
DUTY AS
A FOLLOWER
OF LORD
FENOBARRELA

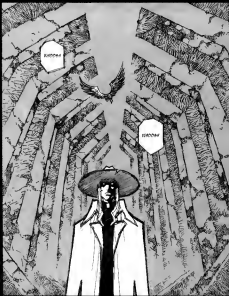
I ASSURE
YOU, IT WAS
NOT FOR
MY OWN
PLEASURE



THE
ONLY JOY
FOR ME
IN THIS
PLACE...

...HAS
BEEN
MY
ART.









I GAVE
THESE
CREATURES



...THE GLORY
I HAD AS HIS
SERVANT
THE WINGED
MESSENGER
OF GOD







GO SHOW
OUR
GUEST...

THE
VISIONS OF
HEAVEN
YOU'VE
WIT-
NESSED.



SHOOT

SHOOT



ALONE



RELAX,
TYAN
SHE'S ONLY
DREAMING.

...OF THE
HEAVENLY
WHISPERS...



...THAT GOD
NEVER LET
US HEAR...



I GIVE YOU
PERMISSION
TO HEAVEN-
DROP, IVAN

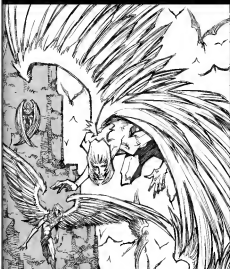






ENTER HER
DREAMS.









WHAT WE'VE LOST IS
GOD'S TRUST.







HE HAD THE RIGHT
TO FEAST ON THE
FLESH OF HERESTICS.

IT WAS THE FREEDOM
GOD GRANTED US AT
THE VERY BEGINNING
OF TIME.





BEYOND
LAW,
BEYOND
CONSTRAINTS,
WE COULD
LIVE
FREELY...

GUIDED
ONLY BY OUR
INSTINCTS.

IT HAS A GLORIOUS
PREROGATIVE NOT PERMITTED
TO ANY OTHER CREATURE!!





Aqbab!



Shuuu!

Guu!

Guu!

Guu!

Aqbab!



HEC





THE LIFE THAT
YOU LOVED WAS
NOTHING MORE THAN
SERVITUDE TO
HIS DIVINE WILL.



WITHOUT HIS
GUIDANCE, YOU
AND YOUR KIND
ARE NOTHING
BUT BEASTS.

BUT GOD
GRANTED
MANKIND
FREE WILL.

THE ONLY
THING YOU
CAN CALL
YOUR OWN
IS THAT
INSTINCT...
THAT ANIMAL
NATURE



FREE TO
FOLLOW
THEIR OWN
DESIRES...



... HUMAN BEINGS
CAN CREATE THEIR
OWN PAINS, EVEN
WHEN IT LEADS
THEM AGAINST
GOD'S WILL.



EVEN WHEN GODS
DESIGN LEADS TO
MADNESS AND GREED!



BUT
LOOK
AT
YOU!

GRAB...
ARE?



DID GOD GIVE
YOU THE SAME
FREEDOM, THE
RIGHT TO CHOOSE?



DO YOU
MEAN TO
TELL ME
THAT MY
GLORY AS A
MESSENGER
OF GOD...



...WAS
INFIRCE
TO THE
"WISDOM"
ENJOYED
BY ME
GUMMOT





БЕССАМЫ!



LEMO
OPEN YOUR
EYES

THE FINAL
JUDGMENT
HAS BEGUN

SO...

IT'S
TIME FOR
RETRIBUTION

REGARD-
LESS OF MY
LORD'S
WISHED, FOR
I'M PURSUING
THE DREAM
OF OUR
FORGOTTEN
GLORY

I WILL
DESTROY
YOU!





...THE BODY I'VE
GAINED IN THIS
LAND OF EXILE!



A BODY
NEITHER BEAST
NOR DEMON

TO BE CONTINUED IN VOL. 10...

EPILOGUE



by
Min-Ho Hyung





IF GOD
DOES
EXIST...

...HE IS AN
EXISTENCE
BEYOND
HUMAN
IMAGINA-
TION

WHEN
YOUR
ATTITUDE
TOWARD
RELIGION IS
PRETTY
NEGATIVE

NO

THE
RELIGIOUS
ARE FOR
YOUR
RELIGION

I DON'T
KNOW
WHAT
I'M
DOING
OR
WHY
I'M
DOING
IT

WHEN
THE
GODS
ARE
NOT
REAL

IT'S
JUST
AN
ILLUSION
OF
THE
MIND

AS
IT
IS
TO
BE
FORGOTTEN
TO
GIVE
IT
UP

DO
YOU
KNOW
HOW
ABOUT

THE
QUEST-
ION-
YOU
WANT
IN
THE
GODS
REALLY
ARE

OF COURSE...
IT'S SILLY TO EXPECT THEOLOGICAL
QUESTIONS FROM ME. THAT WASN'T MY
DESIGN FROM THE VERY
BEGINNING.



I'VE ONLY RAISED QUESTIONS FROM
THE POSITION OF ONE WHO CANNOT BELIEVE.
IF THEY TURN OUT TO BE SILLY OR COMICAL,
WHAT CAN I DO?

BUT WHAT CAN I SAY?
THOUGH I MAY NOT
BE A BELIEVER...



...I DO WANT TO GO TO HEAVEN!

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THE WHIP RETURNS, AND A DISCIPLE LEARNS
THE FACE OF THOSE WHO LOSE THEIR FAITH.

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PRIEST

HALLELUJAH OF THE BEAST

IVAN BRACK, A FORMER PRIEST WHO NOW WALKS OUTSIDE OF GOD'S GRACE, WALKS A BLOODY PATH OF REVENGE. WHEN HE WAS ALIVE, HE INADVERTENTLY FREED THE TRAITOROUS ARCHANGEL TEMOZARIELA FROM IMPRISONMENT. TEMOZARIELA IS STILL WEAK, BUT HIS 12 DISCIPLES ARE PREPARING SANCTUARY FOR THEIR LORD THAT WILL USHER IN AN ERA OF BLOOD AND TERROR. NOW IVAN WALKS THE THIN LINE BETWEEN HOPE AND DAMNATION, SEEKING EACH OF THE DISCIPLES AND EVENTUALLY TEMOZARIELA HIMSELF. IVAN HAS ALREADY DEFEATED THE FIRST MISSION, BUT THAT WAS LIKE STUDY SCHOOL COMPARED TO HIS NEXT FOE. A FORMER ANGEL DRIVEN MAD BY CENTURIES OF EXILE FROM PARADISE, ACHMORE HAS BEEN CREATING A TWISTED ROCKERY OF HEAVEN IN HIS DOMAIN. FLANKED BY ANGELS OF HIS OWN DESIGN, ACHMORE IS A FEARSOME FOE INDEED.

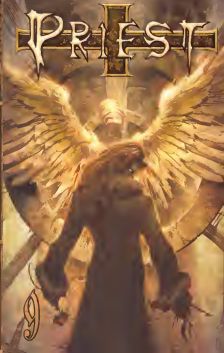


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